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APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING/RECEIPT DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER
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## CONFIRMATION NO. 9241

## FORMALITIES LETTER



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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Docket No. 325772023800

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of:

Fumiko UCHINO et al.

Serial No.: 09/828,787

Filing Date: April 10, 2001

For: DIGITAL CAMERA AND IMAGE  
PROCESSING APPARATUS

Examiner: to be assigned

Group Art Unit: 2612

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

Box Missing Parts  
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Sir:

In complete response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Under 37 CFR 1.53(d) dated May 15, 2001, Applicants as a large entity submit herewith the following:

- A declaration signed by the inventor(s) and the surcharge of \$130.00 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e).
- Fee Transmittal;
- Duplicate copy of fee transmittal for fee processing
- Other: Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Non Provisional Application.

The filing fee has been calculated as follows:

FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	CALCULATIONS		
TOTAL CLAIMS	11 - 20 =	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00		
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	8 - 3 =	5	x \$80.00	\$400.00		
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)			+ \$270.00	\$0.00		
			BASIC FEE	\$1110.00		
		TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =		\$1110.00 (previosly paid)		
Reduction by 1/2 for filing by small entity (Note 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28). If applicable, verified statement must be attached.				\$0.00		
SURCHARGE FOR FILING MISSING PARTS				\$130.00		
		TOTAL =		\$130.00		

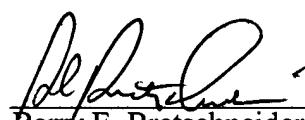
Charge \$130. to Deposit Account No. 03-1952.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this transmittal and associated documents, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1952.

Dated: July 11, 2001

Respectfully submitted,

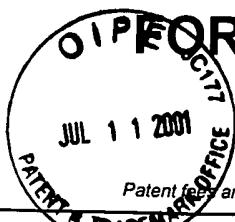
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# FEE TRANSMITTAL

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## TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT

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## METHOD OF PAYMENT

1.  The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:

Deposit Account Number **03-1952**Deposit Account Name **Morrison & Foerster LLP** Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.272.  Payment Enclosed: Check  Credit Card  Money Order  Other

## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

## 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	130.00
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	390	216	195	Extension for reply within second month	
117	890	217	445	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,390	218	695	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,890	228	945	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal	
120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,240	241	620	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,240	242	620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	440	243	220	Design issue fee	
144	600	244	300	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions of the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per properties (times number of properties)	
146	710	246	355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	710	249	355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	710	279	355	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

SUBTOTAL (1) **(\$0.00)**

## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	- 20** =	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Independent Claims	- 3** =	*	x	= \$
Multiple Dependent				= \$
Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	80	202	40	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	270	204	135	Multiple dependent claims, if not paid
109	80	209	40	**Reissues independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	**Reissues claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) **(\$0.00)**

\*\* or number previously paid, if greater; For reissues, see above.

Other fee (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

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SUBTOTAL (3) **(\$130.00)**

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